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## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA HAY 17 P 3 17 ALEXANDRIA DIVISION

LERK US DISTRICT COURT ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA

HARALD MCPIKE,

Plaintiff,

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ZERO-GRAVITY HOLDINGS, INC. f/k/a SPACE ADVENTURES LTD., THOMAS SHELLEY AND ERIC ANDERSON,

Defendant.

Civil Action No. 1:17CV 562 - TSE/JFA

## **MOTION TO SEAL**

Pursuant to Local Civil Rule 5(C) for the United States District Court of the Eastern

District of Virginia ("Rule 5"), Plaintiff Harald McPike ("Mr. McPike" or "Plaintiff") files this

motion to seal his Complaint (and Exhibit 1 to that Complaint) against Defendant Zero-Gravity

Holdings, Inc. formerly known as Space Adventures Ltd. ("Space Adventures" or "SA"),

Thomas Shelley ("Mr. Shelley"), and Eric Anderson ("Mr. Anderson"). Plaintiff files this

motion only because his Complaint and Exhibit 1 contain information that the *Defendants* have

designated as confidential. Plaintiff does not believe that anything in his Complaint or Exhibit 1

actually qualifies under applicable law to be maintained under seal, but files this motion to give

the *Defendants* an opportunity to submit a response setting forth any reasons why *they* may

believe the Complaint or Exhibit 1 should be maintained under seal, as contemplated by the sixth

paragraph of Rule 5(C).

Dated: May 17, 2017

Respectfully submitted,

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